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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

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In re application of: Gianfranco Bilardi et al.

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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

I hereby certify that the following **attached** correspondence comprising:

Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application -  
Filing date Granted  
Copy of USPTO's Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application  
Declaration and Power of Attorney  
Assignment  
Assignment Transmittal Sheet  
6 Sheets of Formal Drawings  
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is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

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To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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Attention: Box Missing Parts

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - filing date granted, mailed July 10, 2001, copy attached, enclosed for filing is a Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by the inventors for the above-identified patent application.

As requested, six (6) sheets of substitute drawings (FIGS. 1-6) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 are enclosed.

Also attached for filing is an Assignment of the invention to the International Business Machines Corporation for the above-identified patent application.

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 09-0469 \$170.00 in payment of the following fees associated with this communication, including any readjustment thereof. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

\$130.00 SURCHARGE FEE FOR FILING MISSING PARTS

40.00 FEE FOR FILING ASSIGNMENT

\$170.00 TOTAL

Respectfully submitted,

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